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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Enclosed herein are the following:

- 1) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs);
- 2) Modified Form 1449/PTO (2 pgs);
- 3) Copies of References cited: B3-B5; C62-C74;
- 4) Check No. 24538 in the amount of \$395.00 to cover request for continued examination; and
- 5) Return postcard.

Applicants herein request continued examination of Application No. 10/649,234.

Included with this request are the required elements of 1) a request; 2) a submission; and 3) a fee.

The submission provided herein is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. With such a timely filed request, submission, and fee, Applicants believe that the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement should be entered and considered.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 17810-518 UTIL.

Respectfully submitted,

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